

# DIDSBURY PIONEER

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**"WHEN the Frost is on the Bumpkin and the fodder is in shock," it's time to think of New Fall Clothes and Overcoats.**

Our stock is practically complete now and we want you to come in and see the entire outlay of beautiful merchandise we have brought together for inspection. The line will not be complete again this season—many of the choicest wearables will be gone later. So come in today and look them over.

## Winter Will Soon Be Here

And every man who likes to be prepared will enjoy a visit to our store. A splendid showing of New Suits, Overcoats and Coats. In Sweaters we have an exceptionally large assortment of combination colors and the quality speaks for itself.

You'll find it well worth your while to investigate this statement before buying your winterwear. Come in and try on as many as you like.

Watch our window.

**J. V. Berscht**

**R. C. Robertson**

**Now is your last chance to get fruit for canning.**

Some one is going to get a box of peaches and plums free on Friday.

Come and see if you are lucky. These boxes are marked and maybe you will strike one.

I will also give a box of fruit free to first fruit purchaser from country Friday morning.

Yours,  
**BOB.**

## The Approaching Fair

Within a few days, Thursday next, Oct. 3rd, the tenth annual Fall Fair of the Didsbury Agricultural Society will be on and it is expected that the Fair will be larger and better than ever. Contractor Ryckman and his staff are busy at the grounds adding new box stalls for horses, putting up the poultry houses, fixing fences and doing quite a lot of work that will still further improve the grounds.

Sec. Atkins is busy taking in entries, which appear to be coming in faster than usual, and all classes will likely be well filled. The horse classes will not be behind other years, in fact there will be more horses shown as several new exhibitors will be on hand according to information received.

All that is required now is that the weather man should still favor Didsbury with his best brand of bright weather, which he usually does, and that the business men should furnish up their stores, put up a little bright color hunting and show an interest in Didsbury's tenth annual Fair to make it excel its predecessors.

Don't forget the Fair will be held on Thursday next. Entries must be made at Sec. Atkins' office not later than 6 o'clock of Wednesday, Oct. 2nd, and exhibits must be in place by 10 o'clock of Fair day.

## AROUND THE TOWN

Miss Beatrice Liesemer left on Wednesday to attend college in Edmonton.

We carry a stock of threshing receipt books. If you want some give us a call.

J. H. Anderson of Westcott has accepted a position with Geo. Smith in the contracting business.

The Ladies' Aid of the English Church will be serving light refreshments on the Fair grounds Oct. 3rd.

Hugh McLean, a former resident in Didsbury, now of Castor, was a visitor on business in town this week.

Ben Dick has bought out a big draying business in Edmonton and expects to move his family in about three weeks.

The Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical church will offer for sale by auction a number of home made comforters at the Fair grounds, October 3rd.

If there are enough persons to take an interest in learning the German language Mr. J. F. Friesen intends starting an evening class this winter for this purpose. If you want to take this up see Mr. Friesen.

The marriage of Mr. Robert Hendry to Miss Annie Bradwell was solemnized at the Baptist church on Friday, Sept. 20th, by the Rev. A. J. Milton, after which the happy couple left for Mr. Hendry's home 10 miles northwest of town.

The W. C. T. U. will have a rest tent, which will be heated, on the Fair grounds on Fair day. Mothers having young children on the grounds can leave them in care of the ladies in charge of the tent for one hour, for which no charge will be made. They will also serve a hot lunch in the Jackson block.

## Good Lumber

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THIS SEASON  
COME EARLY BEFORE IT  
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BRICK, CEMENT  
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Give us a call.

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**LONDON, ENG. BRANCH,**  
51 Threadneedle St., E.C.  
**F. W. ABEL, Manager.**  
**G. M. C. BART SMITH, Assistant Mgr.**

Didsbury has lost another old-timer in the person of Mr. A. M. Snyder, who with Mrs. Snyder and Mrs. and Mr. Geo. A. Sheline, his daughter and son-in-law, moved to Red Deer on Tuesday. Mr. Snyder and Mr. Sheline are going into the building business at Red Deer, where they own considerable property.

## Electric Light Extension

The municipal electric light system is to be extended in several different directions, in fact Superintendent Mjolsness with a staff of men is now at work on these extensions. The light is gaining in favor every day now and through these extensions several more people will install the light in their homes.

The extensions include a continuance of the line north from Beane's corner, line from Lackner's west to

railroad track, line on boundary street to Wilson's, Ryckman's and Morrison's, besides some much shorter extensions.

## Sir Richard Cartwright Dies Suddenly

Sir Richard Cartwright died at Kingston, Ont., on Tuesday morning at the age of 77 years, death being caused by heart failure after an operation. Sir Richard has been one of the most prominent legislators of the Dominion since 1867; was finance minister in the MacKenzie government 1873-1879, knighted in 1879, made Minister of Trade and Commerce in 1896, and leader of the Senate in 1904, and opposition leader of the Senate at the time of his death.

The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon.



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Engineers and Boiler-makers  
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**Good Ontario Apples**  
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A GERMAN SPECIALISTS' DISCOVERY WILL POSITIVELY CURE  
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Bladder Stone, Gall Stones, Kidney Stones, Gravel and all Ailments of Uric Acid Origin  
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## PSORIASIS WAS CURED

**AFTER FIVE YEARS OF SUFFERING—THREE DOCTORS FAILED AND SAID CASE WAS INCURABLE**

Itching and Burning Was Terrible Until Relief and Cure Was Effectively by

### DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

Psoriasis is another name for chronic eczema. It is the worst form of this dreadful itching skin disease. Once eczema has reached this stage it is usually considered incurable. But here is a case which proves again the wonderful healing power of Dr. Chase's Ointment. Not only does relief come quickly, but the resulting benefits are thorough and lasting.

Mrs. Nettie Massey, Concession, Ont., writes:—"I thought it my duty to write you telling you the great benefit I received from using Dr. Chase's Ointment. For five years I suffered with what three doctors called Psoriasis. I doctored with three different doctors, with no good results, and one of our noted doctors told me if any one offered to guarantee me a cure for \$50.00, to keep my money in my pocket, as I could not be cured. The disease spread all over me, even on my face and head. The itching and burning was hard to bear. At last my brother read in the paper about Dr. Chase's Ointment as a healer. I used 8 boxes, and I am glad to say I am entirely cured, not a sign of a sore to be seen. I can hardly praise the ointment enough, and you are at liberty to use my testimony, as I hope thereby to induce other sufferers to try the same."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60c. a box, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

The following unheated incident took place at a village cricket match on Saturday last. One of the umpires was the village butcher, who was very absent-minded. A wicket had fallen, and the incoming batsman took up his position and made the request to the bowler to bowl the other end.

Give me leg, please.  
Turning round rather quickly, the umpire remarked:—  
Sorry sir, but we have only a few shoulders left.

### Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

Two young ladies recently went to see a cricket match.

They had never seen the game played before, and with the inevitable curiosity of their sex they wanted to know the ins and out of everything they saw.

Presently the eyes of one damsel rested on the wickets.

What are those sticks in the ground for? she asked her friend.

Why dear, replied the other wisely, I suppose those are the cricket fixtures.

There may be other corn cures, but Holloway's Corn Cure stands at the head of the list so far as results are concerned.

Bill Sprague kept a grocery shop in a little village in Cumberland. One day he set off for London to buy a lot of goods. The goods were dispatched immediately, and as Bill had lingered in London sight-seeing they reached his village shop before him.

The goods, in an enormous packing-case, were driven to the shop by the local carrier. Mrs. Sprague came to see what had arrived, and with a shriek tottered and nearly fell.

Oh, what's the matter, ma'am? cried a neighbor.

Mrs. Sprague, her eyes blinded with tears, pointed to the packing-case, whereon was stencilled in large black letters—  
Bill Inside.

### Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

I understand that your wife and Mrs. Exe are not on speaking terms. It's so, confound it! And it is going to cost me money.

Indeed! In what way?

Oh, my wife now proposes to give a big dinner party, so that she can snub Mrs. Exe by not inviting her.

Glancing hastily down the pages of Tommy Jones's examination papers, the teacher's heart thrilled over Tommy's unexpectedly good showing, for not one of the questions remained unanswered. But upon subjecting the papers to a more careful perusal her pride in Tommy's proficiency had a fall. After seven of the ten questions Tommy had written politely:—  
I am sorry that this is a subject on which I have no information.

Sweet and palatable, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is acceptable to children, and it does its work surely and promptly.

Traveller (at crowded hotel)—How much do I owe you? What's my bill?

Landlord—Let me see; your room was—

Traveller—But I didn't have any room. I slept on the billiard table.

Landlord—Ah, well, two shillings an hour.

**Sent to the Mat**  
A great lover of animals, Professor Dryasdust was much given to having his pet dog sitting beside him at meal-times, and eating tit-bits from his own plate.  
The other evening he was at a dinner-party, and his partner was a very great lady, who was proud of her title.  
But the professor paid absolutely no attention to her. His mind had switched off on to some abstruse point and he was lost to the world over the problem.  
The duchess did not approve of this and presently, to attract his attention she pulled him gently by the sleeve. Then the professor woke up. Grabbing a half-picked chicken-bone from his plate, he thrust it under her startled nose.  
Don't bother just now, Fido! he said curtly. Here take this and go and eat it on the mat, like a good doggie.

**Your Asthma Too.** The efficacy of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is not something that is merely to be hoped for; it is to be expected. It never fails to bring relief, and in your own individual case it will do the same. So universal has been the success of this far-famed cure that every one afflicted with this disease owes it to himself to try it.

**A Slump**  
So when you were married you ran away?  
Yes.  
Well, what then?  
O, well then—we—er—walked back.

**\$50.00**

**Bank**

**108 Cheques Will be Distributed Among Canadian Farmers. Will You Get One of Them?**

In addition to the twenty-seven first prizes of \$50 each, there will be eighty-one other cash prizes, ranging from \$10 to \$25 in our

**1912 PRIZE CONTEST FOR FARMERS**

This contest is along the same lines as the one which was so successful last year, except that there are three times as many prizes, and therefore three times as many chances for each contestant to win. Every farmer in Canada who uses "Canada" Cement is eligible to compete. The conditions are such that large and small users of cement have equal opportunities to win a \$50 prize.

The contest is divided into three classes, and there are first, second, third and fourth prizes (\$50, \$25, \$15 and \$10) in each class.

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Send me particulars of your 1912 Prize Contest.

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501 Herald Bldg. - Montreal

**No. 52041**  
**Free!**

A free book, "What the Farmer can do with Concrete" will be sent to all who request details of the Prize Contest.

Second thoughts may be best but they are not always on time.

### CAREFUL DOCTOR Prescribed Change of Food Instead of Drugs

It takes considerable courage for a doctor to deliberately prescribe only food for a despairing patient, instead of resorting to the usual list of medicines.

There are some truly scientific physicians among the present generation who recognize and treat conditions as they are and should be treated, regardless of the value to their pockets.

Here's an instance.  
"Four years ago I was taken with severe gastritis and nothing would stay on my stomach, so that I was on the verge of starvation."

"I heard of a doctor who had a summer cottage near me—a specialist from N.Y.—and as a last hope, sent for him."

"After he had examined me carefully he advised me to try a small quantity of Grape-Nuts at first, then as my stomach became stronger to eat more."

"I kept at it and gradually got so I could eat and digest three teaspoonfuls. Then I began to have color in my face, memory became clear, where before everything seemed a blank. My limbs got stronger and I could walk. So I steadily recovered."

"Now after a year on Grape-Nuts I weigh 155 lbs. My people were surprised at the way I grew fleshy and strong on this food."

Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

Why doesn't she take  
**NA-DRU-CO Headache Wafers**  
They stop a headache promptly, yet do not contain any of the dangerous drugs common in headache tablets. Ask your Druggist about them. 25c. a box.  
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**EDDY'S Red Bird**  
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### COMING EAST THIS WINTER?

After the busy season is over, pack up and come east and spend three months in one of our schools. Business education will help you to win out. It costs but little to get it. Write us for our new Curriculum and plan to let us help you. Address W. H. Shaw, President, "Shaw's Schools," Toronto, Canada.

### Cursory

A huntsman called on Hodge, says Judge, to settle for damages done by a run to hounds and found only Mrs. Hodge at home.

Has your husband, he inquired, made an examination yet?

That he have, sir, replied Mrs. Hodge, with a curtesy.

Rather a cursory examination, I suspect.

Oh, dreadful, sir. Such languid I never heard—never.

### Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

### In the Still Night

Mrs. Fidget—What's that noise I hear down in the library?  
Mr. Fidget—Must be history repeating itself. Go to sleep.

Sportsman—I suppose you have never had anything to do with racing Mr. Goodbody.

Curate—Er—no, not exactly. But I did a bit of house-hunting when I first got married, you know.

It's ridiculous for a young man to get married as soon as he comes of age! said the elderly bachelor.

Think so, do you? said Henpeck languidly.

Of course! Why, he's scarcely old enough to be his own master.

Well, he isn't if he gets married.

That's the kind Mother told me to get!

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For table use—for cooking and baking—for making tasty dishes—you can always depend on the purity and perfect quality of WINDSOR TABLE SALT.

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### J. F. Friesen

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SEPTEMBER 1912						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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In last week's issue in the local columns we mentioned the fact that fruit was being sold in one or two other towns cheaper than in Didsbury, and that our dealers should get the same advantages for their customers. Since then we have learned that the cause of this discrimination was the fact that a fruit war was on between the regular wholesale men and a firm who only sell fruit at this season of the year, the consequence being that both parties unload their fruit at ruinous prices to get rid of it before it spoiled because of the glutted market. Another fact was that as the firm who only sell fruit once in the year do not handle the staple articles such as oranges, bananas and other tropical fruits, the retail merchant has to deal with the wholesalers who do carry these fruits the whole year round for obvious reasons.

We have taken some trouble to look into this matter and the following figures are given by the wholesale and retail men as the cost of a box of peaches:

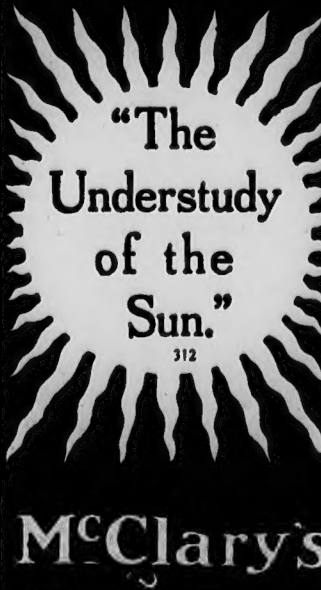
Growers charges, including cost of box and packing	40c
Duty	23c
Freight	20c
Iceing	3c
Demurrage and diversion charges	2c
Wholesalers commission	5c
Cost at Calgary	93c
Local charges, freight, etc.	2c
Shrinkage	10c
Retailers cost of doing business	12½c
Total	\$1.17½
Leaving the retailer a profit at \$1.25 per case of	7½c

Some uncertainty seems to prevail amongst the farmers of the local improvement districts in regard to taxation under the new Rural Municipalities Act. It seems to be the impression that a farmer can be taxed to any amount on his land. The new act contains the following:

"Land shall be assessed at its actual cash value as it would be appraised in payment of a just debt from a solvent debtor, exclusive of the value of any building erected thereon or of any other increase of value caused by any other expenditure of labor or capital thereon."

The question of taxation is dealt with entirely by the Council and the limit of taxation is 10 mills on the dollar but it is not expected that a higher rate than \$8 per 160 acres and in many cases than \$3 or \$4 will be lev-

## SUNSHINE FURNACE



Sold by W. G. Liesemer

ied. The new act also states that a refund of 25 per cent, of all taxes can be paid on cultivated land.

We often hear out in this western country a great deal of talk about the high freight rates charged by the railways in Canada, especially in the west, but a writer, Norman Patterson, in the Canadian Courier, published in Toronto, has tried to look at things in a western spirit and has investigated among other matters high freight rate situation. In his article he quotes the tables given below which are taken from "Poor's Railway Manual," a magazine published for the express purpose of giving information about railways. The figures are somewhat surprising to those who have not taken the trouble or time to look into this question of high freight and passenger rates, but nevertheless with the large amount of business being done and the enormous earnings of these railroads there is still a great deal of room for a still further reduction, which would help to lighten the cost of living out here in the west. The following is a part of the article referred to:

The revenue received by each railway for carrying one ton of freight per mile is, according to the standard authorities, as follows:

Northern Pacific Ry.	.9030 cents
Great Northern Ry.	.8096 "
Chicago & Northwestern	.9000 "
Union Pacific	1.0030 "
Southern Pacific	1.1750 "
Canadian Pacific	.8100 "
Canadian Northern	.8490 "

It will be noticed that there is only one of the five United States roads in this list which is carrying freight at a lower rate than the two Canadian roads. In other words freight rates are higher in the United States than they are in Canada in spite of their larger population and their tremendous traffic.

Taking the passenger rates for a similar comparison the results are as follows:

Northern Pacific	2.276 cents
Great Northern	2.273 "
Chicago & Northwestern	1.810 "
Union Pacific	2.199 "
Southern Pacific	2.215 "
Canadian Pacific	1.930 "
Canadian Northern	2.428 "

These are the figures showing the net returns per passenger per mile on each of these roads. Only one of the five United States roads shows a lower rate per mile for passenger traffic than the Canadian Pacific. The Canadian Northern rate is high, but this is probably due to the fact that the Canadian Northern in recent years has been more of a pioneer road than the Canadian Pacific.

### AUCTION SALES

to be conducted by  
**G. B. Sexsmith, Auctioneer**

Wednesday, October 2nd—J. L. Beane east of track, Didsbury. Sale at 1 o'clock.

### Cattle Brands

Cattle branded J. C. quarter circle on left hip and J. E. quarter circle on left rib belong to J. Cooper, Didsbury.



King Hiram Lodge No. 21, A.F. & A.M. Meets every Tuesday evening on or before full moon. All visiting brethren welcome.

J. NIXON, Secretary. A. G. STUDER, W. M.



DIDSBURY LODGE NO. 18, I.O.O.F. Meets in Fraternity Hall, Didsbury, every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Visiting Oddfellows always welcome.

A. BRUSSO, N. G. S. WOOD, Sec.

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CHAPTER XXXII  
The Master

I am on my way to Loders Abbey to have tea with Lady Anne Daubeneey, and to give her this, Lillias said, taking a letter addressed in a man's handwriting from the pocket of her coat. It is from my uncle, warning her against you.

It is kind of him to put himself to so much trouble, but I don't see what difference it will make.

Nor do I, or I should not deliver the letter. Lady Anne has written to ask me to come over to tea, and my uncle insisted that I should bring this with me. Have you seen much of her since we met?

Monday I was in London all day; but I called at the Abbey yesterday.

I am trembling at what I have before me! Lillias admitted. She is such an ice queen, so cold and aloof. I often wonder why she did not enter a sisterhood after that terrible affair. It would have been a horrible shame! he exclaimed warmly.

She glanced at him as though she did not like the speech. They were riding together in the direction of Crayborne, with the old groom from Vale House plodding along in the rear, well out of ear-shot.

Don't you approve of sisterhoods? she asked in constrained tones.

For old or feeble, deformed or painfully homely women, perhaps, he replied. But for a young, beautiful creature such as Lady Anne the mere idea is painful.

Yet she leads almost a nun's life now.

She spends her time in doing good, he remarked a little stiffly.

But Lillias was not to be suppressed. Does she? she asked. How?

The Abbey is full of her pensioners, on whom she waits with her own hands, he explained.

Uncle Denzil can never understand her making such a fuss about Stephen Jessop, and giving him the best room at the Abbey, Lillias said. He says he has not seen Stephen since his paralytic stroke, but he met him before, and he was a quarrelsome, uneducated, and rather dirty old man, who always had black finger nails.

I didn't see his finger nails, Harry observed, but he is certainly quarrelsome and uneducated still. I was introduced to him yesterday. Here we are at Crayborne. I can recognize ahead of us the postman with the five o'clock letters. I will see you, if you will allow me, as far as the Abbey gates; so may I go on ahead to ask the old man whether there is a letter for me?

There was a letter. It was from the lawyers' office in Lincoln's Inn Fields, and Harry rode back reading it.

This is an odd communication, he remarked to Lillias. Perhaps, after

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all, I am not Sir Henry Clavel, as Miss Warne fondly hopes.

What do you mean?

Would you like to read it? he asked, handing Lillias the letter.

Messrs. Trentham & Ash informed their client that they had written out to his mother at the address with which he had furnished them. But they thought that he should at once know that another claimant to the Lyllynton Court estates, in the person of a near relative of the late Sir Clavel, was already in communication with the former solicitors of the Clavel family, Messrs. Wentworth & Sons. Under these circumstances, Messrs. Trentham & Ash would be glad of another personal interview with Mr. Henry Clavelworth, to discuss things at the earliest possible opportunity.

Lillias gave him back the letter and looked serious.

It is annoying for you, she said, but perhaps it is only a set-up thing. It seems odd; but though I was really shocked at first to know you were a Clavel, I have got used to the idea now, and should hate for you to miss this lovely property. What do you mean to do?

Stick to it, if I can, if I am in the right, he answered.

You must be, she assured him. Sir Alan only had one son, Roger the bad lot, who died. He had a brother and sister it is true.

Perhaps it is the sister who is claiming the place, suggested Harry. Anyhow I will ask you not to speak about the affair except to me, if you please, Miss Morgan. Tomorrow I must go up to London and find out about things.

Then you must meet me out riding and tell me about things, she said eagerly. Here we are at Loders. Can you refasten the gate with your whip? The groom is such a long way behind. And come at least as far as the lodge with me. Or perhaps you will be calling at the Abbey yourself? she added, looking at him wistfully.

I can't very well be demurred. To call two days running might offend Lady Anne.

(To be Continued)

The way a woman knows her clothes are sensible when they make men senseless.

## Proud of It

The old-age pension officer had a magnificent sense of his own importance, and questioned the old lady with a zeal that would have done credit to the reporter in search of a "scoop."

And now, he proceeded, drawing himself up to his full height of nearly five feet, tell me this. Have you ever been in receipt of parish relief?

Never, answered the applicant.

M'yes. Have you at any time been in the hands of the police?

The lady hung her head, and the officer smiled as much as to say, Got yer.

Come, on come on; tell me the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, he commanded, fixing the woman with his steely eye.

Well, replied the applicant, I don't see that either you or the Government have any business to know, but I don't deny it. Girls will be girls, you know. But still, proudly—he was a sergeant.

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When the soaping and drying are completed the elephant is well sand-papored, and after that rubbed all over with the purest Indian oil until the mougrey skin is supple and glistening. The last finishing touch is the most expensive part of the whole bath, as over \$30 has to be spent on the oil alone.

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In illustration of the dreary Glasgow Sunday, a lecturer told this story of the late Mr. J. L. Toole. He was leaving his hotel in Glasgow one fine Sunday morning, when the sun was shining brightly. As he was strolling along George Square a policeman eyed him suspiciously, and at last approached and said—

Ye had better tak' care, sir, what ye're doing.

What am I doing? inquired Toole, and added, with a merry wink: Why I'm not even whistling.

No, replied the Glaswegian, in solemn and reproving tones; but ye're lookin' almost as happy as if it were Monday.

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Small Boy—Uncle, do you know the difference between an elephant and a pig?

No, said the uncle.

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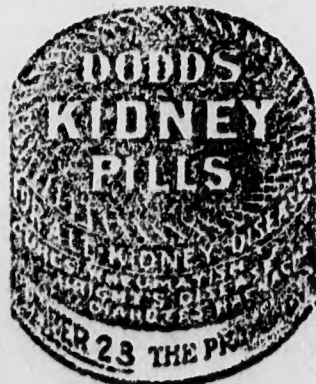
I suppose you do a bigger trade when it rains than when it doesn't rain?

No, I don't notice any difference, said the umbrella dealer.

But you get better prices when it rains, don't you?

Why should I?

Why umbrellas go up, don't they?



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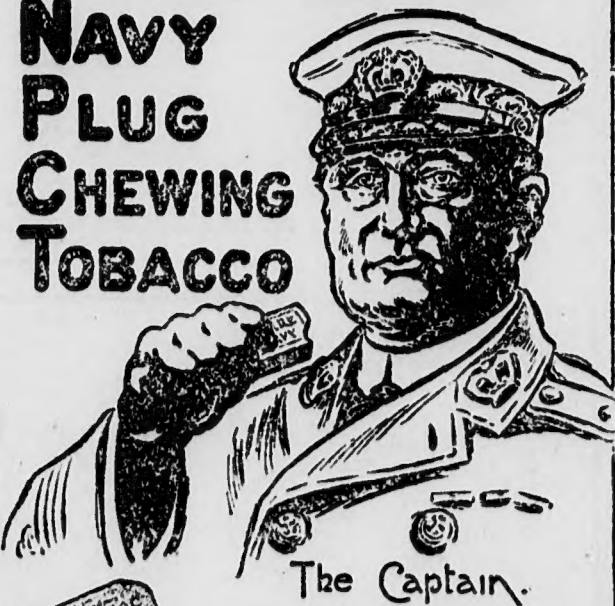
I told teacher I didn't think you would, replied the little fellow, but she was too contrary to change it.

## Out of the Mouths of Babies

Mamma—No, dear, you had better not play in the park if your head aches.

Little Beatrice—It isn't my head, mamma; I think it's only my hair that hurts.

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## AVIATION AND WAR

THE SCIENCE OF AVIATION WILL  
REVOLUTIONIZE WARFARE

It is Announced That the British Army Manoeuvres Have Been Abandoned, and that a Military Conference Will be Held to Adjudge Results.

Cambridge, England.—The science of aviation apparently is to revolutionize warfare. An official announcement was issued that the army manoeuvres had been abandoned, and that a military conference would be held here at once to adjudge the results and explain the cessation of operations. This surprising situation has arisen from the fact that the rival armies have reached a sort of checkmate. Owing to effective air scouting, entailing a constant change of tactics, no broad plan of action has been passed. A series of minor engagements were fought to day at various points, and when the day closed the exhausted armies were still in such a position that neither was able to claim that it had secured an advantage of the situation, and they were so close together that the only possible issue was a pitched battle at the bayonet point.

The King was again for many hours in the saddle watching the operations, which were a disappointment from a spectacular viewpoint.

The British army manoeuvres began on Monday and were scheduled to continue until September 20. On the opening day the manoeuvres were characterized by the brilliant work of the flying corps, one airship squadron and two aeroplane squadrons being attached to each army. Both aeroplanes and airships did scout duty for hours, and all the movements of the rival armies were speedily conveyed to headquarters.

## Value of Panama Canal Exaggerated

Paris.—The passing of the Panama Canal Bill into law has given rise to the discussion of the exaggeration of the importance of the canal itself to the world's shipping.

One of the leading maritime authorities in France, M. Jone Moselli, says in this connection that the enormous advantages of the new canal are on consideration greatly diminished. They are, he says, not sufficient to bring to Panama the trade enjoyed by Suez, for, while the voyage from Europe to the east via Panama would be some fifteen days shorter, this advantage would be more than counterbalanced by the difficulty of obtaining freight.

By the Suez route vessels tap Egypt and India and China, where freights are profitable and abundant, while there would not seem to be much to be picked up by the Panama route. On the return ships make a slight detour to Chile and load nitrate, but at \$2.50 a ton this would not appear attractive.

From the passenger's point of view the Panama route would only benefit travelers between Europe, the west coast of the United States and Australia. European passengers for Chile would arrive just as quickly by going direct to Buenos Ayres and taking the Transandean railroad.

As to the nitrates and saltpeter of Chile—not very profitable freight—it is to be presumed that the sailing ships that carry it now will continue to use the Cape Horn route, not only to avoid the canal dues, but also because calms are frequent and durable in the gulf of Panama.

There remains the question of coal. Seventy-five per cent of existing cargo steamers carry between 5,500 and 8,000 tons. Their speed is small and their coal consumption calculated for medium distances. But between Panama and Asia or Australia there is the whole Pacific ocean to be crossed, fifteen to twenty days' navigation. Only very rich freights would permit such an expense.

From all this, concludes M. Moselli, it appears that the prime importance of the canal is strategical, in that it permits the United States fleet to operate indifferently on either shore of the continent.

Thanks to the new canal, the American fleet will be able to accomplish in two or three weeks a journey which formerly required three months, and that, without doubt, will hasten the settling of accounts which, soon or later must take place between the United States of America and Japan for the harmony of the Pacific.

## Criticism of Military System

Ottawa.—Some trenchant criticisms of the Canadian militia system in connection with this country's preparedness for action, which are expected to excite much comment, are in the publication of a monumental history of Canada, the work of one hundred associate historians during several years, which has now been completed under the direction of Prof. Adam Shortt and Dr. A. G. Doughty, Dominion archivist.

## Farmers Form Telephone Company

Prince Albert.—The farmers of Davis, near here have banded together and organized the Davis Rural Telephone Company, which will cover a radius of six miles of the town. The line will have connections with the long distance system.

Ottawa.—It is understood that the contract for a new customs warehouse at Montreal has been let by the government. The building will cost \$999,000.

## DOMINION MINES' MINISTER

Resolution Passed at Meeting of the  
Canadian Mining Institute

Victoria.—The first semi-annual meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute in session here, passed a resolution urging the Dominion Government to appoint a minister of mines. The gathering is presided over by Dr. A. E. Barlow, of Montreal, who in his presidential address, referred to the highly prosperous condition of the mining industry in Canada. In Nova Scotia, he said, while gold mining was declining, this had been more than made up for by the coal output, which this year would be the largest in the history of the province. In New Brunswick, coal, iron and gas were soon to be developed. Quebec was on the eve of the discovery of new mineral, and at the present this province produced seventy-five per cent of the world's asbestos supply. Quebec had also the largest copper mine in Canada.

Ontario's production for this year would be \$40,000,000. The advance of the coal industry in Alberta had been amazing, while with the advent of new railways, fresh discoveries would still stimulate the mineral outlook in British Columbia. Among the other speakers were Sir Richard McBride, minister of mines in British Columbia, and Hon. Wm. Templeman.

Ex-Morocco Sultan Having Gay Time  
in French Capital

Paris.—Moulay Hafid, ex-Sultan of Morocco, has graduated rapidly in the pleasures of his European hosts at Vichy, during his "cure."

One evening he was taken behind the scenes of the Casino theatre, after seeing the first act of a ballet, and he complemented the dancers with flattering enthusiasm. Earlier in the evening he had given his first dinner party and in the afternoon he had figured at a reception held in his honor by the municipality. Both as host and guest he bore himself with much charm of manner and as a writer of graceful sentiments in women's albums he has already proved himself hard to equal.

A knowledge of live-stock is another of the ex-sultan's accomplishments. He inspected a herd of Nivernaise cows with an unerring eye, picked the three best and ordered them to be sent to his house in Tangleur. He even began to milk one of them to make sure his judgment was not at fault.

He also purchased two back cats and a collie dog. For his children he bought a hundred dolls, in Bourbonnais costume, a mechanical pianoplayer, a merry-go-round and an extraordinary quantity of toys.

## Discuss Western Freight Rates

Montreal.—The presence of a number of western traffic men among those who have come to the city for the joint conference of the C.P.R., G.T.R. and C.N.R. traffic men, regarding western freight rates, indicates that the chief point of interest in the meetings will be the western protest against high freight rates.

The westerners allege that the freight rate between Montreal and Toronto is lower than that between Montreal and Regina, and that this represents the general difference in the treatment given the west and east. The railways respond by pointing out the long haul between North Bay and Winnipeg is through a country that is scarcely settled, and which, for traffic purposes, gives practically no revenue. It is believed that at the meetings to be held here for the next ten days the traffic men will compare revenues made through to the coast north of Lake Superior, and put in a state ready for presentation to the Dominion railway commission, when the matter comes before it.

## INQUIRY INTO WAGE QUESTION

Exhaustive Investigation by the Do-  
minion Department of Labor

Ottawa.—The department of labor is making an exhaustive inquiry into the whole question of wages in Canada. The work is in the hands of R. H. Coles, editor of the Labor Gazette, who is recognized as one of the ablest statisticians in Canada.

The idea is to make the inquiry very thorough, so that the information will be authoritative. The wages paid in every industry as far back as can be ascertained accurately will be obtained yearly. Such information it is felt, will be of great value in settling labor disputes.

A somewhat similar inquiry into wholesale prices in Canada was conducted by Mr. Coles several years ago, and an investigation into retail prices is being contemplated. These figures enable the department to keep close watch on the rise and fall of the cost of living.

## Dismissed Millers Application

Fort William, Ont.—The application of the Dominion Millers' Association for lowering of the storage rates in the elevators after the grain had been transferred from the cars for five days, was dismissed by Dr. Magill, chairman of the Dominion grain commission, after a very short hearing. C. D. Watts, who represented the association of millers, made the complaint and he, admittedly, would back up his association. He complained that the terminal elevators were charging excessive rates but Chairman Magill, after trying his best to elicit corroborative information, remarked that the commission did not look with favor in wasting time in hearing unsubstantiated applications.

## RATES NOT INCREASED

RAILWAYS MUST NOW AWAIT  
CONCLUSION OF INQUIRY

Application for Permission to Increase Freight Rates Is Denied for the Present—No Changes, then, Will be Made in the Western Rates.

Ottawa.—That pending the conclusion of the inquiry now being conducted into western freight rates these rates are not to be increased by the railways was handed down as a rule by Chairman H. L. Drayton, K.C., the new head of the railway board who took his seat for the first time. Judge P. H. Phippen of the C.N.R. endeavored to justify any changes which the road had made in its western rates since the opening of the inquiry. He explained that one rate for instance had been lowered to meet lower rates in the United States. These had been changed and accordingly the Canadian rates were also being brought back to their old level. Rates on hay, put in force on account of the failure of the western hay crop, were being brought back to normal.

The board is not able to check these cases, said Mr. Drayton. I am told the C.N.R. wishes to change the rates on fertilizers as well. If we are ever to have any finality in this western matter the only thing to do is to leave the rates alone.

That such a general order as proposed was in excess of the jurisdiction of the board was maintained by E. W. Hearty for the C.P.R. The rates complained of were not being increased only aligned he stated.

As far as I am concerned, then said the chairman, I consider the usual rules should be absolutely changed. They say that a tariff becomes effective thirty days after it is filed. As far as western rates are concerned, however, no advance will become operative under that clause. A prima facie case of discrimination has been made out against the railways. If there are any alignments of tariffs to be made, however, such can be drawn to the attention of Mr. Hardwell, the board's tariff officer.

Mr. Hearty in reply to a question from the chairman stated he would be ready to go ahead with the railways case at the opening of the freight rates case on October 7 and would file with the board a summary of the grounds on which the railway side of the affair would be based.

## Estranged Wife Rescues Sick

New York.—Gen. Daniel E. Sickles' wife pawned her jewels the other day and used the money to pay the \$8,066 which her husband owed to the Lincoln Trust Company.

So the forced auction of the furniture and keepsakes and civil war commissions signed by Abraham Lincoln, which was to have been held is off.

Mrs. Sickles and her husband are not now on good terms. They separated not long after their marriage in Madrid in 1871 and have been estranged most of the years since then. But when Mrs. Sickles learned last week that the general, who is 86 years of age, was about to be sold out by the sheriff, she resolved to help him.

In pawning her jewels and saving to the general his possessions in the old Sickles home at 23 Fifth Avenue, she had no other motive than making her husband happy, according to Ralph Wolf, attorney for Gen. Sickles.

Since coming to this country in 1908 after the death of her Spanish mother, Mrs. Sickles has lived at the Brevoort house, adjoining that of Gen. Sickles and owned by him, and more recently in an apartment on West Eighth street with her son, George Stanton Sickles.

At noon today Mrs. Sickles set forth on her mission to relieve the embarrassed general. She and her son went first to the Knickerbocker Trust company. Then Mrs. Sickles opened her safe deposit box and dropped into her handbag fifteen pieces of jewelry.

Then mother and son walked to McAlleen's pawnshop on Sixth Avenue and Thirty-fifth street. Henry McAlleen knew they were coming. The visit was arranged three days ago. The lawyers for Gen. Sickles and the Lincoln Trust company knew something about it, too.

Mrs. Sickles laid the contents of her satchel before Mr. McAlleen. She seemed to think she would be able to redeem her pledges in good time. As she handed the pawnbroker a diamond and sapphire bracelet she observed to her son:

That was a present from the general.

Mrs. Sickles little excursion ended at the offices of the Lincoln Trust company. There she paid \$8,066 to Vice President Webb and got a receipt acknowledging that the judgment had been satisfied. Mr. Webb waived the costs and accepted only the principal and interest of the general's indebtedness.

The news having been flashed to Sheriff Harburger, that official quit for the day ahead of time in order to find the general and congratulate him.

## Hon. John Haggart III

Ottawa.—Hon. John Haggart, M.P. for Lanark, is ill at his home in Perth. He is the oldest member of the House of Commons, being 76 years of age, and it is feared that the illness will go hard with him. The veteran member has sat continuously in the house since 1872 for the constituency of South Lanark.

## IMMIGRATION OF RESERVISTS

Imperial and Dominion Government  
Will Facilitate It in Future

Ottawa.—Arrangements, it is believed, have been completed between the Imperial and the Canadian Governments whereby the immigration of reservists of the Special Army Reserve will be facilitated in the future. Formerly known as the militia, this arm is now used as an adjunct to the regular army, with men enlisted for a few months service and then for several years held to serve in the event of mobilization.

This obligation has hitherto hampered the immigration of these men as well as reservists of the regular army, but some time ago arrangements were concluded between the British and Canadian Governments whereby the latter class could come to Canada. This arrangement for the special reservists will now be extended.

## FLOOD CANADA WITH WIDOWS

Salvation Army Would Send 100,000  
to This Country

Vancouver.—Colonel Lamb, head of the Internal-Immigration work of the Salvation Army, received a cable from General Bramwell Booth from London stating that the Army would start at once to float the "widow scheme."

Colonel Lamb says there are one hundred and seventeen thousand widows and two hundred thousand persons from whose ranks it is proposed to draw immigrants to Canada. Women who wish to come to Canada will be relieved of their children pending a start.

Colonel Lamb thinks that many of them will marry again in this country. He is enthusiastically regarding the whole scheme.

## Profits in Butter Fat

Wainwright, Alta.—Dairy and Cattle growers in the Wainwright district are being forcibly reminded of the large possibilities at hand for development of a profitable export trade by the high prices now ruling for butter fat in Edmonton and other large centres. The Edmonton city dairy is now offering \$2.40 per hundred pounds for milk delivered at Edmonton during the coming season. The Edmonton concern has had difficulty to supply the demands of the growing population, and is making a special effort to develop reliable supply centres; and until the establishment of a local creamery at Wainwright it is believed that dairymen here will be eager to take advantage of the available market. The output of butter fat of the Wainwright district is estimated at about \$1,000 monthly.

## After Realty Sharks

Toronto.—War has been declared by the Toronto Board of Trade on the real estate sub-division business in districts adjacent to the city. A resolution was adopted which places the board on record as being opposed to the advertising and selling of lands in the districts surrounding Toronto to people throughout the province, when these lands are represented as being contiguous to the city and within reach of city improvements and conveniences. Besides strongly condemning the practice, the board advises all intending purchasers of real estate to make a personal inspection as to location and actual value of the land, and to take steps to assure themselves that the material facts are as represented.

## French Officers Must Quit Leagues

Paris.—Officers of the French army reserve have been given by the Minister of War the choice of resigning their membership in certain societies or losing their commissions.

Alexandre Millerand has just sent a circular to reserve officers all over the country pointing out that membership of the so-called military leagues is incompatible with discipline. One of the leagues is Masonic and another anti-Masonic, and they had their origin in more or less harmless societies for the promotion of comradeship, but each of them has acquired an aggressive political character within recent years.

## English Olympic Report

London.—The British Olympic Council has issued its official report on the Stockholm games. It is signed by Lord Desborough and the Rev. Robert Decourcy Laffen. The leading point set forth in the report is the need of national support, and more money for training purposes. It is contended that it was not mere specialization which enabled the United States and Sweden to do better than England in the games but that the great factor in the excellence of the American teams lies in the existence of institutions throughout the United States after the model of the New York Athletic Club.

## AEROPLANES IN WAR TIME

Quickly Accomplished Work in  
French Manoeuvres That Caval-  
ry Would Take Days

Paris.—The great feature of the mimic warfare here today was the flying scouts, who in a few hours were able to accomplish work that the cavalry would take days in doing. The military aviators were able to unmask every position and to keep the respective commanders fully informed regarding the movements of the opposing forces.

The bicycle scouts also proved most useful.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON XIII.—THIRD QUARTER  
FOR SEPT. 29, 1912

Text of the Lesson, Comprehensive Quarterly Review—Golden Text, John vi, 63—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Lesson I.—Malignant unbelief, Mark III, 26-27. Golden Text, John III, 19. "This is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light because their deeds were evil." It seems to me that the talk against Christ in our day on the part of many religious people is as bad as was that of the scribes in this lesson. May the word and the will of God be so dear to us that we shall be to Him all that He desires.

Lesson II.—The seed in the four kinds of soil, Mark iv, 1-20. Golden Text, Jas. 1, 21. "Receive with meekness the engrafted word, which is able to save your souls." To know God is life. He reveals Himself by His word, and Jesus Christ is the Living Word, between whom and the written word there is the most perfect agreement. Receiving Him we become children of God, the children of the kingdom, for which we wait.

Lesson III.—The growth of the kingdom, Mark iv, 26-32; Matt. xiii, 33. Golden Text, Matt. vi, 10, "Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." The title of this lesson is unfortunate as the kingdom has not yet begun and therefore cannot be growing. In all His parables about the kingdom we must remember His saying, "The mystery of the kingdom of God." (Mark iv, 11.) The Church, which is His body, is the mystery which is now growing.

Lesson IV.—The wheat and the tares, Matt. xiii, 24-30, 36-43. Golden Text, Matt. xiii, 30. "Gather ye together first the tares and bind them in bundles to burn them but gather the wheat into my barn." Since the harvest is the end of this age and the devil keeps at work till then, it should be clear to all who believe that the kingdom cannot come in this age. First the church is taken, then the age runs on, till He shall come to close it.

Lesson V.—The worth of the kingdom, Matt. xiii, 44-53. Golden Text, Matt. v, 3. "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you." The parables of the treasure and the pearl set forth the preciousness of Israel and the church to Him who gave up all for their sakes, for they will be the heavenly and earthly centers of His kingdom.

Lesson VI.—A troubled sea and a troubled soul, Mark iv, 35 to v, 20. Golden Text, Ps. xli, 1, 2 (R.V.) "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." See a weary man untroubled, peacefully sleeping in the midst of great troubles. See Him mightier than the storm or than a legion of demons, for He is as truly God as man, and all things shall yet be subject to Him.

Lesson VII.—The ruler's daughter, Mark v, 21-43. Golden Text, Mark v, 41. "And He took the damsel by the hand and said unto her, Talithacumi, which is, being interpreted, Damsel, I say unto thee arise." Twelve years of life developing, suddenly ended, but restored; twelve years of life wasting away suddenly made whole for in Him is life. He is the life and the resurrection.

Lesson VIII.—The visit to Nazareth Luke iv, 16-30. Golden Text, John I, 11 (R.V.). "He came unto His own and they that were His own received Him not." Both this and the later visit to Nazareth (Mark vi, 1-6), resulted in their refusing Him, because they thought they knew Him too well to receive Him as the Messiah. Some one has said that they might have known Him better if they had not known Him so well.

Lesson.—The death of John the Baptist, Mark vi, 14-29. Golden Text, Rev. ii, 10 (R.V.). "Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee the crown of life." To my mind the story of John is, from the human side in many respects one of the saddest in the Bible. A great man in the sight of the Lord, foretold centuries before he was born, honored to hear the voice of God and baptize Jesus, yet killed to please Herodias.

Lesson X.—The mission of the twelve, Matt. ix, 35; x, 15. Golden Text, Matt. x, 40. "He that receiveth me receiveth Him that sent me." Another perplexing lesson to those who see only the earth side. Sent forth with blessing only for Israel, to be bestowed freely, promised hatred and persecution and probably death. Yet we know that "As for God, His way is perfect." (Ps. xviii, 30.)

Lesson XI.—Judgment and mercy, Matt. xi, 20-30. Golden Text, Matt. xi, 28. "Come unto Me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." All spiritual things are hidden from unbelief and from the wisdom of this world. Only those who are like little children, the meek and lowly, can understand.

Lesson XII.—The feeding of the 5,000, Mark vi, 30-44. Golden Text, John vi, 35. "Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life." Instead of puzzling over that which is too deep or too high for us, here is something within reach of all. Do as the lad did and give our all to Jesus, that He may bless and multiply it and use us to give to the hungry the bread of life. "All power is His."



## Westcott

Wilton Vipond, who has been absent for some time, returned home for a few days' visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tuggle, Mr. and Mrs. Williams and the Misses Bessie and Creta Tuggle spent a few days at Banff.

Did anyone see anything of C. H. He used to stay around Didsbury but lately there seems to be no attraction for him there.

Miss Florence Vipond is home from Edmonton.

Will Smith, who has been visiting friends at Westcott for some time, returned to his home in Hanover, Ont., this week.

The Westcott-Cremona band is getting to be a big crowd.

## Truth Well Put

Without having an intimate acquaintance with other cities or towns of the west, we would be willing to wager that there is none other where the business men and citizens generally are more easily duped by wandering promoters of fake advertising schemes than right here in Lethbridge.

Every so often some one of these smooth-talking, slick appearing gentlemen happens casually along, sizes up this place and its people, and camps with us for a time. He carries with him a glowing prospectus and a steady nerve. With a glib tongue he hypnotizes us into writing letters of endorsement of his scheme and placing our signatures to contracts that bind us to pay anywhere up to a hundred for something we know little or nothing about, and very often something that ultimately turns out to be worse than useless either to us or to the city.

And, having shorn the lambs and collected his coin—our coin, rather—the stranger departs for greener fields and more unclipped flocks of innocents. And the point to remember is that he takes our good money away with him. That is to say it has been forever removed from local circulation. And while this is happening there are those of our fellow citizens who are possibly engaged in the same

business, with whom we decline to spend a dollar without squirming.

And the same rule applies in other directions than publicity. There are hundreds of people who are always to be found in the front row of the anvil chorus when it comes to finding fault with local merchants and business men for their lack of enterprise, but who, when it comes to spending their money in big bunches for particular things, will be found handing it out to express companies for C. O. D. parcels from other cities. And possibly at the same time they are standing the local merchant off for payment of their account. It is bad business, gentlemen, and no town can hope to grow as it might so long as that sort of thing continues in it. Home industry, home enterprise, home institutions are all entitled to your first and last consideration when it comes to dealing, if you are a really good citizen; and if you haven't sized the situation up this way yet, you have something important to learn of the full duties of citizenship.—Lethbridge News.

## Seed Control Act will be Enforced

During the past week the Ellison Milling Co. of Lethbridge, Alta., were convicted, under the Dominion Seed Control Act, of having in the season of 1912 sold alfalfa seed containing dodder, a noxious weed under the above act.

This case is of especial interest to farmers and seed merchants in that it is the first prosecution made in Alberta under the act. It is, however, the intention of the Dominion Seed Branch hereafter to rigidly enforce the act in the western provinces. In consequence merchants and others handling seed should see that all seed offered for sale complies with the provisions of the act.

If you knew of the real value of Chamberlain's Liniment for lame back, soreness of the muscles, sprains and rheumatic pains, you would never wish to be without it. For sale by all dealers.

## A Hermit for Five Years

WHAT would make the greatest impression on a man who had been shut away from human intercourse and denied the use of newspapers for five years—what would most forcibly attract his attention—on regaining the society of his fellowmen?

"Well," you say, "he is fairly certain to be interested in learning whether there's been a change of government."

True, and probably he will show mild excitement if you can tell him there's been a big war in Europe. But it won't be until you get down to a recital of things that come closer to him, personally, that you'll bring him to his feet with eager questioning.

Tell him a mighty empire has fallen, and—so long as it isn't his empire—a drop curtain of highly embroidered indifference will mask his face.

But tell him the automobile has been so simplified that he can now buy one for the price of a horse and buggy, and he'll promptly bombard you with questions.

You see how it is: Newspapers carry a "news of merchandise" that is just as interesting, just as vital, as the "news of events" which the editors gather for us.

And, since this "news of merchandise" finds its only expression in the form of Advertising, must we not admit that the Advertising columns are quite as worthy of our serious attention as the scariest "scare head" or the most ponderous editorial?

Shut your eyes to advertising—and you shut out the news of commercial progress and development—the news of things that make life worth the living.

\* Advice regarding your advertising is available through any recognized Canadian advertising agency, or the Secretary of the Canadian Press Association, Room 608 Lumsden Bldg., Toronto. Enquiry involves no obligation on your part—so write if interested.

The Didsbury Pioneer

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Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Turkey Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
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3 Gander.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Goose.....	1.50	1.00	.50
5 Drake.....	1.50	1.00	.50
6 Duck.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 23.—Barred Plymouth Rocks.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 24.—White Rocks.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 25.—Black Minorcas.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 26.—Black Spanish.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 27.—Leghorns.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 28.—Wyandottes.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 29.—Game.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 30.—Rhode Island Red.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 31.—Buff Orpington.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 32.—Partridge Cochins.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 33.—Bantams.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

### CLASS 34.—Guinea Fowl.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
1 Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$ .50
2 Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3 Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4 Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

For full information see

H. B. ATKINS, Secretary

## Auction Sale

Under instructions from J. L. BEANE, I will sell by public auction east of the R. R. track, Didsbury, on

Wednesday, Oct. 2nd

the following consisting of

Team of horses, matched, 7 and 8 years old; black driving team, coaches, 3 and 4 years old; pacing pony, good for child; yearling filly; one imported Clydesdale mare, 7 years old, weight 1700, with filly colt and in foal from Baron Afton. Papers will be shown at sale.

Two cows coming fresh about December; 1 yearling steer.

1 three horse disc; 1 two horse lever drag; 2 sets driving harness, nearly new; 2 Bain wagons; 1 set bob sleds; 1 Adams wagon, new; 1 horse clipper, new; 1 stirring plow; 1 breaking plow, 18 inch, nearly new; 1 set Concord work harness; 1 circular wood saw, new; a lot of hay; a lot of posts; a lot of wood; other articles will be offered of lesser importance. Sale at 1 o'clock.

TERMS—All sums at and under \$20 cash; all over that 9 months credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing 8 per cent. interest per annum. 3 per cent. off for cash.

J. L. BEANE, G. B. SEXSMITH, Auctioneer.

An article that has real merit should in time become popular. That such is the case with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been attested by many dealers. Here is one of them. W. H. Hendrickson, Ohio Falls, Ind., writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best for coughs, colds and croup, and is my best seller." For sale by all dealers.

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## Fat Stock Show

The Alberta Provincial fat stock show which has been held hitherto in conjunction with the spring shows at Calgary, will be held on the 27th, 28th and 29th of November at Victoria Park, Calgary, in conjunction with the Calgary poultry show. It is the intention of the Live Stock Association to develop the fat stock show along the lines of the Ontario winter fair at Guelph. Lectures will be given on practical subjects.

The show will be held in the horse show building where every convenience will be provided for visitors and exhibitors. An attractive prize list will be ready for distribution in a day or two, and may be had on application to E. L. Richardson, Victoria Park, Calgary.

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Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough

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**Pointed Paragraphs**

Suspicion is the fly in the matrimonial ointment.

If you would retain your friends don't give them away.

And many a man has a kick coming that never reaches him.

The Wall street bulls have tossed many a man over the wall.

Even the man who doesn't lie never tells all the truth he knows.

The world hasn't much use for the man who takes a pride in his humility.

Occasionally a woman drives a man to drink, but usually he beats her to it.

The average man is always butting in and adding to his collection of enemies.

It is a great deal better to be disappointed in love than to be disappointed in marriage.

Many a girl married a man not because he is good enough for her, but because he is too good for her rival.

When the fool killer wants to take a day off, he places a high-power automobile in charge of a low-power intellect.

About the time a man is old enough to have acquired fairly good sense his neighbors begin calling him an old fogey.

Mistress—Well, I'm sorry you want to leave me, Mary. But what's your reason?

Mary keeps silent.

Mistress—Something private?

Mary (suddenly)—No, mum; please mum, he's a lance corporal.

**Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills**

are made according to a formula in use nearly a century ago among the Indians, and learned from them by Dr. Morse. Though repeated attempts have been made, by physicians and chemists, it has been found impossible to improve the formula or the pills. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are a household remedy throughout the world for Constipation and all Kidney and Liver troubles. They act promptly and effectively, and

**Cleanse the System**

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THE CLEAN HOME DYE Gives rich, even colors, free from streaks and absolutely fast. Does not stain hands or kettles. 24 colors, will give any shade. Colors 10c, black 15c, at your dealer's or post-paid with booklet "How to Dye" from



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**The Ring**

Woman doesn't care to shy her hat into the ring, remarked the Observer of Events and Things; what she most wants is to get her finger into one.

**ONTARIO WOMAN'S FORTUNE**

**Freed From That Weak, Languid, Always Tired Feeling, by Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.**

Thessalon, Ont.—"I cannot speak too highly of your medicine. When my appetite is poor and I have that weak, languid, always tired feeling, I get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it builds me up, gives me strength, and restores me to perfect health again. It is truly a blessing to women, and I cannot speak highly enough of it. I take pleasure in recommending it to others."



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**Grand Old Men**

The Mexican who has just died at the alleged age of 185 has been predeceased (according to American news) during the past dozen years or so by a citizen of New Brunswick aged 132, and a comparative youngster of Valley Mills Texas, whose age was only 115.

The man in the street will be pardoned for thinking that the 185 has been inadvertently transposed from a cricket report. Among ex-Biblical heroes probably Old Parr and Henry Jenkins will stand as the best authenticated instances of superlongevity. The monument at Bolton (Yorkshire) records that Jenkins attained the amazing age of 169.

A man of eighty-six, observed Mr. Dooley recently, looks down on a man of eighty-five, and receives his callow opinions with a supercilious smile; and for that reason probably (if not because he was a fisherman) Jenkins was able to give evidence on oath concerning matters 140 years or so previous. As a hale young centurion he was in the habit of swimming the Swale with ease, and as a boy he is said to have taken a horse-load of arrows to be forwarded north for the Battle of Flodden.

**Relief for the Depressed.**—Physical and mental depression usually have their origin in a disordered state of the stomach and liver, as when these organs are deranged in their action the whole system is affected. Try Paremlee's Vegetable Pills. They revive the digestive processes, act beneficially on the nerves and restore the spirits as no other pills will. They are cheap, simple and sure, and the effects are lasting.

The diner thrust the tip of his knife into the yellow disc which the waiter had brought him. He held it up to the light and examined it while the waiter stood by anxiously. Then the diner resolutely returned the yellow disc to his plate and scraped some of it upon his breast.

I take thee, he said, for butter or worse.

**THE TRUE CAUSE OF RHEUMATISM**

**Due to Acid in the Blood—Can Only be Cured Through the Blood.**

Not many years ago even doctors thought that rheumatism was only a local pain caused by exposure to cold or wet. Now they know that the trouble is caused by the blood becoming tainted with uric acid. This condition of the blood causes the muscles to contract, stiffens the joints and irritates the nerves. If not promptly treated the stiffness spreads and the pain grows worse until you are a helpless cripple, tortured day and night. If the disease touches the heart it means sudden death. You cannot cure rheumatism with liniments, plasters or hot cloths, as so many try to do. You must go right to the root of the trouble in the blood. The scientific way to cure rheumatism is to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which make new, rich blood that goes right to the root of the trouble. They sweep out the poisonous acid, loosen the aching joints and muscles and bring ease and freedom where before had been pain and misery.

Miss Beulah Sheppy, Morpeth, Ont., says: "Following an attack of measles I took inflammatory rheumatism. My joints became swollen and the pain was almost unendurable. I doctored with two doctors, but the pain was only relieved while I was taking their medicine, and soon returned. For six months I continued to suffer in this way. Then I tried electric pads, but they failed to do me any good. Finally a friend persuaded me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I had not been taking them long before I found relief. I continued using the Pills for a time and soon found myself in perfect health and feeling like a new person. I never lose an opportunity to recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as I cannot say enough in favor of them."

Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Lady—I am looking for a governess for my children.

Manager of Intelligence Office—Did we supply you with one last week?

Yes.

Well, madam, according to her report you don't need a governess. You need a lion-tamer.

St. Joseph, Levis, July 14, 1903.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen.—I was badly kicked by my horse last May and after using several preparations on my leg nothing would do. My leg was black as jet. I was laid up in bed for a fortnight and could not walk. After using three bottles of your MINARD'S LINIMENT I was perfectly cured, so that I could start on the road.

JOS. DUBES, Commercial Traveller.

Now they claim that the human body contains sulphur.

In what amount?

Oh, in varying quantities.

Well, that may account for some girls making better matches than others.

**LET MOONEY DO IT**

**DON'T BAKE—BAKE—BAKE IN THE HARD OLD FASHIONED WAY**

It shortens your life, spoils your temper and ruins your looks. Try the new way—the **MOONEY** way.

No spoiled baking. No overheated kitchens. Lots of leisure in the home. **MOONEY'S BISCUITS** are so fresh, so crisp, so appetizing that they are largely taking the place of home baking with thousands of Western people. Ask for

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"Couldn't wait, Grandpa"

Cowan's Cocoa shares with milk the first place as a drink for children. A pure Cocoa, it contains nerve, flesh and muscle-building material. Made with milk it is a perfectly balanced food, as well as a drink the children love.

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AREN'T YOU TIRED OF BORROWING THE OTHER FELLOW'S GUN?

IF YOU ARE NOT, LET US WHISPER SOMETHING TO YOU: "HE IS."

OWN YOUR OWN THINGS; THEN YOU WON'T SPOIL ALL THE FUN OF YOUR OUTING IN FEARING YOU'LL BREAK THE GUN, OR WHATEVER YOU HAVE BORROWED.

IN SPORTING GOODS AND HARDWARE WE SELL ONLY THE BEST. THEY ARE THE CHEAPEST FOR YOU.

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Oct. 3rd

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Veal, dressed	10.00
Hogs, live	9.00
Hogs, dressed	11.00
Bacon, No. 1, smoked	22 1/2
Hams, No. 1	0.20
Mutton, dressed	12 1/2
Chickens, spring dressed	15
Chickens, live	12 1/2
Fowl	8 to 10c
Hides, green	0.09
Butter, choice	0.26
Eggs	0.27
Potatoes, bushel	.50

(No quotations for grain in the local market.)

### BUSINESS LOCALS

Wear Stanfield's underwear and get it at J. V. Berscht's.

We are prepared to do your electric wiring at reasonable prices at any time. Electric fixtures kept in stock. Give us a call. D. S. Shantz & Co., hardware merchants.

J. V. Berscht has secured the agency for Dr. Jaeger's Sanitary Woolen Goods and his new stock is now complete and guaranteed pure wool of the highest grade.

\$100,000 has been placed at our disposal to apply on real estate loans. Other mortgages taken over and larger amounts advanced at the least possible expense. G. B. Sexsmith.

Have you seen the new sweater coats at J. V. Berscht's? If not you better see them before you buy.

Highest cash price paid for eggs. A. A. Perrin, egg merchant, Didsbury.

### Sports on Fair Day

A baseball match between Didsbury and Westcott for a small prize will be played at the Fair grounds on Fair Day. The game promises to be an exciting one as the teams are fairly well matched and a good game is expected.

A few horse races are being arranged, for which good prizes will be offered.

### Good Work on Roads

Messrs. Tuggle, Dageforde, Rennie and Rinehart put in a lot of good work on the Westcott road with the grader last week and now the road is in excellent shape. There is room for two wagons to pass and there are no rough places. Altogether there was ten miles of road worked up. It is now up to the town to put the road south connecting with the Westcott road into good shape. The small hills could easily be cut down a little more and the low places filled in and then there would be a good road right through to town for the farming public.

### Card of Thanks

Mrs. A. M. Ross wishes to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy in the recent death of her beloved husband.

Running up and down stairs, sweeping and bending over making beds will not make a woman healthy or beautiful. She must get out of doors, walk a mile or two every day and take Chamberlain's Tablets to improve her digestion and regulate her bowels. For sale by all dealers.

## Cold Weather Is Coming



Come in and get your WATERPROOF HORSE BLANKETS and ROBES.

Leather has gone up in price but we are still selling HARNESS at the old price.

A fresh line of gloves and mitts just received. Call in and see them. Also suit cases, club bags and trunks.

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### Horses For Sale

Horses broken and unbroken and a few two-year-olds. Rosecombed and Brown Leghorn cockerels also for sale. T. A. Hunter, Neapolis.

### Cemetery Matters

Editor Pioneer.

Dear Sir:—One cannot read your article on this question in last week's issue of the Pioneer without being amazed at the audacity of Mr. Shantz, as a cemetery trustee, and, as I take it, the one principally to blame for these conditions, daring to blame the Pioneer for publishing my letter, or any other, on this subject. Surely anyone visiting this cemetery this summer cannot but have been disgusted with existing conditions and it does not speak too well of some of our residents that they have been allowed to continue. No doubt this apathy has given Mr. Shantz and the other trustees the idea that conditions were JUST what were wanted, but this is not so, and the sooner Mr. Shantz and his colleagues awake to this fact the sooner will they put their hands to the plow of reform and put the cemetery into decent shape before winter sets in. I understand there are more than sufficient funds for this work, and it is not too much to expect that some of the money collected from sale of grave spaces be applied to keeping the place in decent order.

I would suggest that Mr. Shantz at once get the fences put in shape and the gates erected, and the roads cleaned up, grass cut—in fact the whole put in proper shape, and then call a meeting of those interested with a view to having the cemetery taken over by the Town Council when we may expect the duties of keeping it in order will probably be carried out. This will allow Mr. Shantz to retire with more decency. I am yours, A RESIDENT.



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### Announcement

I wish to say to the ladies of Didsbury and vicinity that I have just received a stock of high class tailored suits for ladies, also a few coats in the very latest styles. These are all the product of the S. F. McKinnon Co., known all over the Dominion as leaders in styles and material bearing their label is sufficient guarantee of its reliability.

Give me a call before sending away for that coat or suit. I can save you money and give you the new things while they are new if you will give me a share of your patronage.

MRS. J. C. STEVENS.

### Crops Are Good

Mayor H. B. Atkins has just returned from his ranch at Cochrane after spending some days there looking after harvesting and other matters connected with his ranch.

The mayor is enthusiastic over the outlook for a good crop this year. He states that while there is still a lot of grain to cut through the district which he traveled, a large quantity has already been cut and that the yield will be very heavy. The recent rains have delayed cutting considerably all through the district and the two snow storms of Sunday and Monday did not seem to have done much damage because the snow melted before it overloaded the grain.

Altogether this district will have the biggest crop that it has had for years and consequently a revival of better conditions amongst the farmers as well as the business men is looked for this winter.